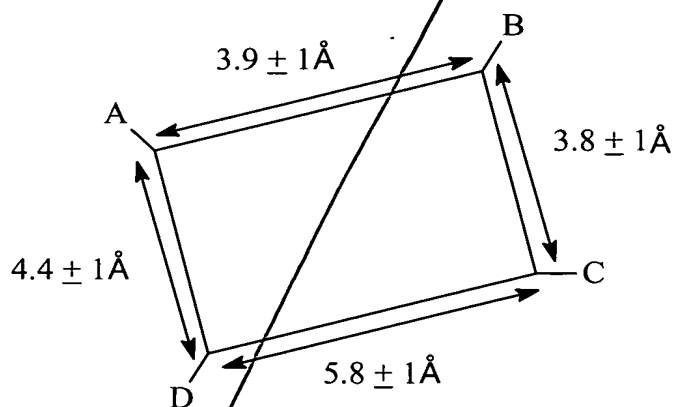


## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claim 1 as shown in the marked-up copy as follows:

--1. (Amended) A compound which is an antagonist of a G protein-coupled receptor, which has no agonist activity, and which has a cyclic or constrained acyclic structure adapted to provide a framework of approximate dimensions as set out in Structure I:

Structure I



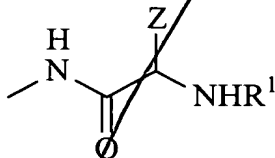
where the numerals refer to distances between  $C_{\alpha}$  carbons of amino acids or their analogues or derivatives, and A, B, C and D are not necessarily on adjacent amino acids, or analogues or derivatives thereof; and

where the critical amino acid side chains are designated by A, B, C and D, where A is any common or uncommon, basic, charged amino acid side chain which serves to position a positively charged group in this position;

B is any common or uncommon, aromatic amino acid side chain which serves to position an aromatic side-chain in this position;

C is any common or uncommon, hydrophobic amino acid side chain which serves to position any alkyl, aromatic or other group in this position;

D is any common or uncommon, aromatic amino acid which serves to position an aromatic side-chain in this position, and has the structure:



where Z is indole, indole methyl, benzyl, benzene, naphthyl, naphthyl methyl, or a derivative thereof; and

R¹ is H or an alkyl, aromatic, acyl or aromatic acyl group.--

#### **BASIS FOR THE AMENDMENT**

Claim 1 has been amended to correct an inadvertent typographical error.

The specification has been amended to correct inadvertent typographical errors.

No new matter was added to the application by virtue of the present amendment.

Entry and favorable consideration of this amendment are respectfully requested.

#### **REMARKS**

The Office has required restriction in the present application by the election of a single disclosed species.

Applicants elect, with traverse, for further prosecution, compounds of Structure II as a single disclosed species. Applicants further elect the C5a receptor antagonist of Claim 19 as the ultimate, single disclosed species. Claims 10-14 and 19-23 read on the elected species.

This application is a 371 of international application PCT/AU98/00490, filed June 25, 1998, and is properly subject to restriction only under the PCT rules. As noted in MPEP